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GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC.

Business Session of the Encampment Began Yesterday.

Henry Watterson's Speech of Welcome.
An Eloquent Discourse With Lofty Sentiments of Generosity and Patriotism Which Elicited Great Enthusiasm. Annual Address of Commander Lawler—Total Membership of the Grand Army 357,956.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Sept. 12.—The demonstrations in the line of parade being over, the twenty-ninth national encampment began its business session at 10 a. m. to-day; also the Woman's Relief Corps and the Ladies' Circle of the G. A. R. These meetings were attended only by delegates. Meantime the veterans met in corps, brigade and regimental reunions all over the city. The campfires, with fireworks and other demonstrations, continue every night during the week, elaborate programmes, with music and recitations, being announced up to Saturday.

The Woman's Relief Corps met to-day at Library hall, Mrs. President Wallace presiding. The exercises were opened with salutes, flag drills and tableaux in the curriculum of patriotic teaching. The opening session was devoted to welcome addresses, responses and to the hearing of the annual reports of the national officers.

By far the most interesting reunion of the week began to-day at 10 o'clock in Music hall. It was the meeting of the encampment, election of executive and commanding officers for the ensuing year and to decide upon a place of meeting for next year. The hall has a seating capacity of 3,250 and every seat in the house was occupied.

General Lawler, the commander-in-chief, called the meeting to order. He said that as this was the first national meeting of the Grand Army of the Republic south of the Ohio river, the executive committee had changed the usual program. The citizens of Louisville desired, he said, to give expression to their pleasure in having the honor of entertaining the boys in blue.

"You will be glad to know that," he continued, "the man who is to deliver the address of welcome is no other than the Hon. Henry Watterson, editor of the Louisville Courier-Journal. At the mention of Mr. Watterson's name there was an outburst of applause, and when it died away Mr. Watterson stepped forward and spoke as follows:

"The promissory note drawn by the city of Louisville, endorsed by me and discounted by you in the city of Pittsburgh a year ago, has matured, and I have come to pay it. Except that historic distinction have long been obliterated here, it might be mentioned that I appear before you as the representative of the people who wore the Blue and of those who wore the Gray in that great sectional combat, which, whatever else it did or did not, left no shadow upon American soldiery, but stain upon American manhood. But in Kentucky the war ended thirty years ago. Here, I, at least, the lesson have been taught and learned that—

"You cannot chain the eagle,
And you dare not harm the dove;
But every gate here leads to hate
Will open wide to love."

"And the flag, God bless the flag. Can you doubt the loyal sincerity of those who from housetop and roof tree have thrown it to the breeze? Let some sacrilegious hand be raised to haul it down and see. These are honest flags with honest hearts behind them. They are the symbols of a nationality as precious to us as to you.

"And why not? What is left for you and me to cavil about, far less to fight about? Slavery is gone. Secession is dead. The Union, with its system of Statehood still intact, survives. It is, therefore, with a kind of exultation that I fling open the gates of this gateway to the South; I bid you welcome in the names of the people, whose voice is the voice of God."

Mr. Watterson was frequently and loudly applauded during the delivery of his speech. In response to this address, Past Commander in Chief Wm. Warner, of Kansas City, Mo., spoke briefly. He said the boys in blue would never forget the generous and loyal hospitality of the good people of Louisville.

In beginning his annual address the commander-in-chief, Gen. Thomas G. Lawler, of Rockford, Ill., said: "I take great pleasure in calling to order the twenty-ninth national encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic. We meet for the first time south of the Ohio river in this beautiful city of Louisville, not as we did thirty-four years ago—then we were ordered here, but now we come because we are invited by all its citizens to accept their hospitality and receive a royal and loyal welcome to old Kentucky and the New South."

The membership of the Grand Army June 30, 1894, was 371,556, and the gain during the year was 43,040, from the following sources: By muster-in, 14,672; by transfer, 5,554; by reinstatement, 13,471; and from delinquent reports, 9,343. To offset these gains there were losses of 56,956 from the following sources: By death, 7,368; honorable discharge, 14,347; transfer, 5,763; suspensions, 33,589; dishonorable discharge, 140; delinquent reports, 8,558. Members remaining in good standing June 30, 1895, 357,956; remaining suspended, 49,600.

To-morrow night General Gordon delivers his lectures on "The Last Days of the Confederacy" in both of which the ex-soldiers take great interest. General Buckner is kept busy in being called for to address campfires. To-morrow the Blue and the Gray will meet in a grand barbecue tendered by the latter to their guests and to-morrow night's program for different campfires are very elaborate.

Gen. I. N. Walker, of Indianapolis, was elected commander-in-chief of the

G. A. R. St. Paul was selected as the place for the next encampment.

Over Fifty People Injured.
While 100,000 people were watching the fireworks along the river front at 10 o'clock to-night a portion of the grand stand in which were seated at least 10,000 people gave way and over fifty people injured, some probably fatally. No deaths were reported.

The grand stand which fell was about 400 feet long and 60 feet wide. That no one was killed is a marvel. Had the seats been elevated to any great distance many deaths must have resulted. As it was, the platform on which the seats were placed swerved to the rear and then settled to the ground with a crash.

As the grand stand careened, the planks of which the seats were made were forced together, and the feet and legs of hundreds of the spectators were caught as in a huge trap. The noise of the exploding bombs and the fireworks and the cheering of the crowd was so great that only those adjacent to the grand stand could hear it. Had it become generally known a panic would have followed.

Was Not Hooted Off the Platform.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Sept. 12.—Sensational reports have been sent out about Governor Thayer, of Nebraska, of being hooted off the stage at the Phoenix Hill campfire last night. Governor Thayer complimented President Cleveland for maintaining law and order during the Chicago riot and denounced Governor Altgeld and Debs in very severe terms. His denunciation of anarchists was very severe and there were cries for McKinley and others. When the interruption was continued Congressman Evans dismissed the meeting, as the program was about completed. Thayer was not hooted off the platform, but he closed abruptly by saying: "I thank all the respectable people in the audience for the polite attention they have accorded me. For the disrespectful people I have nothing but contempt."

ROBERT J. THE WINNER.

He Beats Patchen and Gentry at the Louisville Races Yesterday.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Sept. 12.—Not only the grand stand, but the standing room capacity of the Louisville Driving Fair Association was taxed this afternoon. A fast track and bright sunshine favored the great racing race in which Robert J., John R. Gentry and Joe Patchen were to battle for supremacy. At 2:30 o'clock, when the three horses scored for the opening heat, it is estimated nearly 10,000 people were on the grounds. Robert J., the great son of Hartford, came off victorious; but for the fact that Joe Patchen went into the air when within forty yards of the wire in the fourth heat there might have been another ending. Robert J., however, was as steady as a clock and not once during the four heats did he go off his feet.

The fourth heat, which was paced in 2:04 1/2, establishes a new record, being the first fourth heat ever trotted by any horse in that time. Summary: Free-for-all pace, purse of \$5,000—Robert J. (Ed. Geers), 1, 2, 1; Joe Patchen (Jack Curry), 3, 1, 2, 2; John R. Gentry (W. E. McHenry), 2, 3, 3, 3.

Average Wheat Conditions.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 12.—Additional reports to the Agricultural Department show that the average condition of spring wheat, September 1 was 94.9 per cent, and winter wheat 67.6. Wheat conditions for States not previously reported are as follows: Maine, 97; New Hampshire, 106; Vermont, 90; Massachusetts, 85; Rhode Island, 90; Connecticut, 93; New York, 94; New Jersey, 88; Pennsylvania, 85; Delaware, 95; Maryland, 91; Virginia, 94; North Carolina, 89; South Carolina, 77; Georgia, 86; Florida, 91; Alabama, 92; Mississippi, 86; Louisiana, 94; Texas, 49; Arkansas, 74; Tennessee, 86; West Virginia, 81; Kentucky, 82; Montana, 60; Wyoming, 60; Colorado, 98; New Mexico, 110; Arizona, 100; Utah, 95; Nevada, 40; Idaho, 73; Oklahoma, 74; total 75.4.

Indicted for the Murder of Pletzel.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 12.—H. H. Holmes, the notorious murderer and swindler, was to-day indicted by the grand jury for the murder of B. F. Pletzel, whose mysterious death in this city a year ago and the subsequent collection of \$10,000 insurance on his life by Holmes led to the unveiling of the latter's remarkable criminal record.

Holmes is now in prison here awaiting sentence for swindling the insurance company, to which charge he pleaded guilty, hoping thereby to escape the detection of his grave crimes. The district attorney will press for a speedy trial in this city. Indictments for murder have also been brought against Holmes in Toronto, Indianapolis and Chicago.

General Schofield's Southern Trip.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 12.—Gen. J. M. Schofield, lieutenant-general of the United States army, accompanied by his personal staff and a party of friends, will leave Washington on Monday, September 16, for Cincinnati, and from there will go direct to Chattanooga to attend the dedication ceremonies of the Chickamauga National Park on September 19, 20, and thence to Atlanta, Ga., to participate in the reunion of the Blue and the Gray at the Cotton States and International Exposition on September 21. From Atlanta he will return to Washington via Southern Railway.

Getting Cooler at Chicago.

CHICAGO, Sept. 12.—The intense heat of the last two days was ended to-day by a record-breaking slump in the mercury. The temperature dropped fifteen degrees in fifteen minutes. After the first plunge the decline was more moderate in speed, but the thermometer soon registered about sixty degrees against ninety-six yesterday.

Another Kentucky Tragedy.

LOUISVILLE, Sept. 12.—Ira Hunt, of Wheatley, Ky., was shot and killed here to-day by Jerry McIntyre. Hunt came here a month ago to work. McIntyre is a printer recently discharged from the asylum. He was bothering Hunt in his work.

LYNCHBURG WAS REAL EASY.

Magicians Signalize Their Return Home By Winning.

The Tobaccoists Were Unable to Hit Fry Safely at the Proper Time, While Roanoke Had No Trouble in Solving Ames' Delivery—Fadden's Fielding and Viox's Batting Were the Features.

After being buffeted about in a strange land, at the mercy of incompetent and unjust umpires, since the 21st of last month, the Magicians showed up at Athletic Park yesterday afternoon none the worse for their rough voyage. True, the men were worn out, having played five games in three days in Petersburg, beside riding all night. It was the original idea to have played two games yesterday, but this was abandoned, and it was also decided to play but one game to-day. The weather is too hot for more than that.

There were two separate and distinct features in yesterday's game outside of the playing. One was the umpiring of Brennan, which was as good as any seen here this season. Not a kick was made on either side to mar the pleasure of the contest. The other feature was the world-wide, discordant noise made by about 150 nondescript instruments of torture which were given away as an advertisement of a certain brand of cigarettes. The article in question consisted of a piece of wood to which a short string is attached. On the other end of the string is a small wooden ball. The noise is produced by shaking the wooden handle and letting the ball hit against it. As a refined mode of torture it has no equal and the company that produced it would be getting off easy in having their cigarettes bought.

As for the game itself, both teams did good work in the field, though strange today Roanoke's outfield had not a single chance. Padden and Fry made all the errors for the home team, but the former more than atoned for his misplays by making a number of sensational stops and throws. His fielding and the batting of Viox were the features.

Fry was in the box for Roanoke, and as far as pitching went did well, but he fielded his position very poorly, and all of the runs made by the visitors were directly due to his misplays. Ames officiated for Lynchburg, and he was touched up at a lively rate. Viox secured two triples, a double and a single, and every one else hit him safely at least once, except Stahl and Padden.

Both sides made two runs in the first and errors were responsible for them. For Roanoke Sherer was an easy out, but Fultz hit for two bases. He went to third on Stahl's out at first and came home when Leashy made a wild throw of Little's grounder, which he had stopped in a beautiful manner. Padden was given a pass to first on balls and Cavanaugh came along with a single, scoring Little. Captain Dick was thrown out trying to rally on the hit.

For Lynchburg Berryhill led off with a scratch hit. Leashy bunted to Fry, who made a three-base throw over Little's head. Berryhill scored and Leashy went to third. He came in when Padden let Plock's grounder get away from him. The visitors' last run was made in the sixth. Plock was hit by a pitched ball, went to second on a passed ball, to third on Fry's wild throw to catch him napping and home on For-guson's out at first.

Roanoke scored one in the second on Viox's triple and Fry's single. A base on balls to Cavanaugh, Viox's triple and Fry's out to Ferguson gave them two more in the sixth. In the eighth doubles by Cavanaugh and Viox, a base on balls to Welch and Fry's out at first added two more to their total. After two men were out in the ninth the locals pounded out three runs, assisted by a couple of bases on balls. Following is the score:

ROANOKE.	R	H	E	A	E	LYNCHBURG.	R	H	E	A	E
Sherer, cf.	1	0	0	0	0	Berryhill, 3b	1	3	0	3	0
Fultz, lf.	1	1	0	0	0	Leashy, ss.	1	1	2	5	2
Stahl, 1b.	0	0	0	0	0	McIntyre, 2b	0	0	1	7	0
Padden, 3b	1	1	5	0	0	Plock, 1b.	1	1	0	4	0
Fry, p.	2	0	0	3	1	Smith, cf.	0	0	3	1	0
Cavanaugh, 2b	3	2	4	0	0	For-guson, rf.	0	2	0	0	0
Welch, c.	2	1	3	1	0	Smith, cf.	0	1	1	0	0
Viox, 3b.	3	2	1	0	0	Raffert, c.	0	2	3	0	1
Fry, p.	0	0	2	3	0	Ames, p.	0	0	1	1	0
Total	10	12	27	19	6	Total	3	7	17	13	3

RUNS BY INNINGS.

Roanoke..... 2 1 0 0 0 2 0 3-10

Lynchburg..... 2 0 0 0 1 0 0 0-3

SUMMARY.

Earned runs—Roanoke, 4. Base on balls—Off Fry, 2; off Ames, 8. Struck out—By Fry, 1; by Padden, 1; by Little, Cavanaugh, Viox, Fry, Raffert. Three-base hits—Viox, 2. Doubles—Viox to Cavanaugh to Little; McIntyre to Leashy to Plock; Ames to Plock. Passed balls—Plock, Welch, Raffert. Hit by pitched ball—Plock, Welch, Cavanaugh, Welch. Time of game—One hour and fifty minutes. Umpire—Brennan.

Richmond, 18; Portsmouth, 3.

Richmond, Va., Sept. 12.—The Petersburg team put up the most miserable exhibition of ball seen here this season. Several of the men appeared to be in no condition to play.

Score: R. H. E.

Richmond..... 3 4 0 3 1 4 21-18 16 2

Petersburg..... 0 1 1 0 0 0 10-3 7 10

Batteries—Gillen and Foster; Packard and Keeler.

Norfolk, 11; Portsmouth, 2.

NORFOLK, Va., Sept. 12.—The largest crowd of the season witnessed to-day's game between Norfolk and Portsmouth. Brandt gave five men bases in the first inning and was relieved by Moneyhan. The home team outplayed and outbatted the visitors at every stage of the game.

Score: R. H. E.

Norfolk..... 5 10 1 0 0 11-11 15 5

Portsmouth..... 2 0 0 0 0 0 9-2 5 6

Batteries—Weeks and Cote; Brandt, Moneyhan and Childs.

How the Clubs Stand

W. L. Pct. W. L. Pct.

Richmond..... 75 45 62% Norfolk..... 55 65 46%

Lynchburg..... 68 49 58% Petersburg..... 55 64 46%

Portsmouth..... 60 67 47% Roanoke..... 51 73 41%

The above table includes games forfeited by Norfolk to Portsmouth and Roanoke, and by Roanoke to Norfolk.

MARYLAND DAY

Celebrated Yesterday With Great Enthusiasm. As All Over the State.

BALTIMORE, Md., Sept. 12.—Maryland day was celebrated in various ways by numerous organizations in this city and throughout the State. It is the eighty-first anniversary of the battle of North Point, in which the British forces were repulsed and General Roas killed. It was on the following day and night that Fort M'Henry was attacked by the British fleet, but without success. Francis Scott Key was a prisoner on board the British vessel Minden and it was on the morning of the following day he saw "The flag was still there" and wrote "The Star Spangled Banner."

The day's celebrations were in honor of these two victories and the poet. Parades, picnics and exercises of different kinds were held by the Junior Order of United American Mechanics, the Emmett Club, the Veteran Volunteer Firemen, the Old Baltimore City Guard Association, the Catholic Benevolent Legion, the Confederate Soldiers' Home and others. The day is a legal State and city holiday, and there was a general suspension of business.

No Gold Withdrawals Yesterday.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 12.—So far as reported to the Treasury Department, there were no withdrawals of gold to-day at New York, nor were there any deposits of gold except in the regular course of business. The true amount of the reserves at the close of business was \$99,512,006. At Chicago there was a deposit of \$75,000 in gold in exchange for small notes, and the balance of the net gain of \$149,000 was obtained at the assay offices. The demand for Columbian half dollars in exchange for gold at par at the sub-treasuries of the United States, except San Francisco, continues without abatement. At the present time there remains unsold only \$822,000. These halves are perfectly new, never having been in circulation, and have the same legal tender and redemption qualities as other half dollar pieces.

The Atlanta Committee in Chicago.

CHICAGO, Sept. 12.—The committee of prominent Southerners appointed to invite the citizens of Chicago and the Northwest to the International and Cotton States Exposition, arrived here to-day. A large party of Chicagoans met the Atlanta delegation outside the city limits and came with them into the city. Elaborate entertainments for the Southern guests have been arranged, including a dinner at the Union League Club Friday evening. Among the committee men from Atlanta were Mayor Porter King, C. A. Collier, director-general of the exposition, Stewart F. Woodson, president of the exposition; Alderman Arnold Broyles, T. J. Day, Clark Howell, H. E. Cavanaugh, E. P. Rice, A. J. West, C. S. Norton, Major J. L. McCullum, T. H. Neal, N. L. Wilson, J. G. Oglesby and J. H. Porter.

Writ of Error Applied For.

RICHLAND, Va., Sept. 12.—A special to the State from Amelia Court House says that counsel for the Lynchburg women who were recently convicted of the murder of Mrs. Pollard applied to-day to Judge Coleman, of the circuit court, for a writ of error. The commonwealth's attorney of Lynchburg associated with himself attorneys Wm. H. Moore, of Nottingham, and R. G. Southall, of Amelia. When the case was called these gentlemen asked for a continuance until to-morrow. The motion was overruled and the case went to a hearing. It is believed that the writ will issue and that argument for a new trial will at once be heard.

The Exposition Flyer.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 12.—During the Atlanta Exposition the Southern railroad will supplement its two daily limited trains between New York and Atlanta by a third, to be known as the "Exposition flyer." The "flyer" will consist of Pullman vestibule sleepers and coaches, and will make the run between New York and Atlanta in twenty hours by the Pennsylvania railroad between New York and Washington, and the Southern railroad between Washington and Atlanta. This additional service will begin about October 1.

The Alleged Cuban Filibusters.

WILMINGTON, Del., Sept. 12.—The grand jury in the United States district court continued to-day to hear testimony in the cases of the alleged Cuban filibusters. It is expected that the jury's investigation will be completed this afternoon.

National League Games.

BALTIMORE, Md., Sept. 12.—The Champions fell upon Gumbert and earned five runs in the third inning, after which Abbey twirled with but little better success. Hoffer was fairly steady and his support faultless. Kelly was put out of the game in the fifth inning and McGraw, Jennings and Brodie were ordered to the bench for using disrespectful language to the umpire. Reitz took second base and Gleason went to left in Kelly's place. Boston plays two games here to-morrow. Attendance, 5,000.

Score: R. H. E.

Baltimore..... 0 1 6 1 4 0 3 13-21 6

Brooklyn..... 1 0 0 2 0 0 2 5 3

Batteries—Hoffer and Robinson; Gumbert, Abbey and Burrell.

At New York:

New York..... 2 0 0 1 1 0 1 12-7 11 2

Boston..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 5 6

Batteries—Kane and Wilson; Stittve and Gabel.

At Louisville:

Louisville..... 0 0 0 0 2 0 0 2 5 2

Chicago..... 0 0 0 0 2 0 0 2 5 3

Batteries—Cannongham and Warner; Friend and Donohue.

At Pittsburgh:

Pittsburgh..... 2 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 3 11 2

Cincinnati..... 0 0 0 2 0 1 0 0 3 6 0

Batteries—Hawley and Merritt; Foreman and Vaughn.

At Washington:

Washington..... 0 0 0 4 0 1 0 5 5 2

Philadelphia..... 4 2 0 2 5 0 4 17 10 2

Batteries—Boyd, Gilroy, Malarky and McGuire; Carey and Buckley.

St. Louis-Cleveland game postponed.

Baseball Notes.

Denny A. Long, owner and manager of the Torre Haute (Indiana) team, is in the city. He is on a hunt for a number of new men for next year.

THE VALKYRIE WITHDRAWS

And Defender Sails Over the Course Alone.

The Action of Lord Dunraven a Great Surprise—He Claims That the Crowd of Excursion Steamers on the Track Made Racing an Absurdity—Commodore Glennie Discourages All Hope of Further Racing.

NEW YORK, Sept. 12.—The international race between Defender and Valkyrie for the American cup is ended. On the whole it has been an extraordinary series, and while the result is satisfactory to the American people, two at least of the contests that went to make up the match were not. Defender won in a clean race on Saturday, on Tuesday last she crossed the line behind the English boat, but was awarded the race on a foul; to-day she had a walkover, and to-day's occurrences were all the more unfortunate, not only because a great crowd had gathered to witness the struggle, but because the weather conditions were such as to lead many to suppose that of all days Valkyrie would be in her element.

The race scheduled for to-day promised to be a more exciting one than either of the two preceding, for on yesterday Valkyrie had been tuned up to the highest pitch in anticipation of to-day's contest.